

Combine Districts For Better Schools

Paradise Correspondent Suggests Consolidation—Personal News Notes Reported.

Paradise, Feb. 27.—Something queer about this assessment business. In this township there is a tract of 480 acres on which the taxes are \$27.40. Another tract in this township of similar land and improvements but only half as large, 240 acres, pays \$30.87 tax.

There has been a lot of talk about the moving of the school house in district 27, so I will add my mite. If Deer Creek, Paradise and Star districts were consolidated, we could have a school that amounted to something. The great trouble is that everyone wants the schoolhouse in his yard.

Ed Renfrow of Lost Prairie was a Paradise visitor last week.

Ray Renfrow attended the funeral of his uncle, Tommy Wright, who died of blood poisoning at Cove.

The coyote scare is over as there have been no new stories lately.

OBITUARY.

Lazarus Wright was born in November, 1848, in Taney county, Missouri. He crossed the plains when but two years of age with his parents. His father died on the way and was buried by the Platte river. His mother came on to southern Oregon and settled at Myrtle Creek with her boy, enduring all kinds of hardships and privations, including attacks by Indians. They removed from Myrtle Creek to Union county near the Cove in 1863 and he came to Wallowa county in 1890, settling in the Chesnimus country. He lived there with his wife, accumulating considerable property. His wife died a year ago December 15. He had been failing in health since her death, and passed away Thursday, February 22. He was

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FEBRUARY WEATHER REPORT AT ENTERPRISE.

Following is the weather report for February kept by the physical geography class of the Wallowa County High school:

Number of clear days, 14; number of stormy days, 10; number of cloudy days, 2; average temperature, 19 degrees above at 9 a. m.; coldest days, 27th and 28th, 4 degrees above at 9 a. m.; warmest days, 1st and 11th, 40 deg. above at 9 a. m.; prevailing winds, light and variable.

WEDDING BELLS.

Wright-Henderson.

A very pretty wedding occurred Wednesday evening, March 1, at the home of Mrs. J. A. Wright on Hurricane Creek, when Miss Lula Wright was married to Mr. Ernest Henderson. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Deal of Joseph.

After the ceremony a fine supper was served.

Only the immediate friends and relatives of the bride and groom were present. Many handsome and useful presents were received, among which were the following:

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Hayes, silver knives and forks; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Roup, silver spoons; Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Steen, salad dish; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fairchild, sauce dishes; Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Warnock, cups and saucers and dish; Mrs. Margaret Ownbey, plates; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Kenworthy, lamp and towels; Myrtle Hayes, meat platter; Lulu and Hettie Ownbey, crack-or bowl; Sylvia Steen, cups and saucers; Lora Reup, spoons; Myrtle Ownbey, towels; Mary Warnock, dish; Dama Roup, salt and pepper shaker; Elvora and Macel Emmons, towels; Thelma Steen, bread and butter plate; Lester and Earl Emmons, tureen; Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Emmons, cream pitcher, sugar bowl, spoonholder and butter dish; J. R. Stuber, glass water set; Edgar Ownbey, pickle dish; Dan Hunsaker, silver spoons; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Mastersen, salad dish.

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Annual Election Of Improvement League

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The annual election of officers of the Ladies' Improvement League will be held Thursday evening, March 9 at 7:30 o'clock in the Library Room on the 2nd floor of the Court House. All of the ladies of the town who are interested in the continuation of the League are urgently requested to be present.

For the benefit of the new ladies it will be well to state that there are no dues or fees required of the members and that there is at present \$120 in the treasury, \$33 of which is pledged to the cemetery, the balance to be used as the League sees fit, for civic improvement.

During the year of the League's existence it has accomplished several things: The establishing of a city clean up day in the spring, the free rest room at the county fair, the re-decoration given to the new ladies of the town in order that they might become acquainted, and last but not least it was instrumental in getting the city council to vote a tax for a public library. The amount of the tax is something like \$400, which will furnish a library, in addition to the one already established, of which any city of this size may be proud.

OREGON HIGH SCHOOLS NUMBER NEARLY 150.

A statement by the U. of O. says that in 1884 there was but one high school in Oregon, in 1900 there were six but now there are nearly 150, of which 88 are accredited schools, by the University of Oregon.

The schools have not only grown in numbers but in efficiency and wide range of usefulness. The best high schools cover courses ranging from commercialism and stenography to sciences and languages, and have thousands of dollars worth of laboratory equipment. Manual training for boys, domestic science for girls and a practical primary course in agriculture for both have been introduced with good results.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior.
U. S. Land Office at La Grande, Oregon, February 27, 1911.

Notice is hereby given that John Lyons, of Enterprise, Oregon, who, on October 22, 1909, made Homestead Application No. 07174, for SE $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ section 21, township 1 south, range 44 east, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Carl Roe, United States Commissioner, at his office at Enterprise, Oregon, on the 22nd day of April, 1911.

Claimant names as witnesses: Curtis J. Sanford, John E. Osterhout, King S. Francis, and John T. Blow, all of Enterprise, Oregon.
2905 F. C. BRAMWELL, Register

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Department of the Interior.
U. S. Land Office at La Grande, Oregon, February 27, 1911.

Notice is hereby given that Elvira R. Ward, of Enterprise, Oregon, who, on February 17, 1909, made Homestead Application No. 06827, for lot 3, section 6, township 2 south, range 44 east, Willamette Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make Final Commutation Proof, to establish claim to the land above described, before Carl Roe, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Enterprise, Oregon, on the 20th day of April, 1911.

Claimant names as witnesses: James Moots, James A. Ward, Charles A. McAllister, and Charles D. Emmons all of Enterprise, Oregon.
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Real Estate Transfers

U. S. to Alton B. O'Brien, e $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 17, t 4 n, r 41. Patent.

U. S. to Wm. E. Davis, lots 3, 4, 5, sec 3, t 1 s, r 46. Patent.

U. S. to Samuel Wade, lot 1, sec 30, t 1 s, r 44. Patent.

U. S. to James O. Sage, n $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 3, t 2 n, r 46. Patent.

U. S. to Aaron Wade, se $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 23, sw $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 24, n $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 25, ne $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 26, t 1 s, r 44. Patent.

U. S. to John H. Curless, s $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 32, t 3 s, r 46. Patent.

U. S. to Charles Hansen, n $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 7, t 2 s, r 46. Patent.

U. S. to Almedia Bell, formerly Almedia Prince, s $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 33, w $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 34, t 4 n, r 43. Patent.

U. S. to Martin Luther Fox, s $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 3, t 3 n, r 42. Patent.

U. S. to Nora Holloway, se $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 1, t 5 n, r 43. Patent.

U. S. to Burt Southwick, n $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 25, t 5 n, r 42. Patent.

U. S. to Geo. W. Beecher, e $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 30, t 5 n, r 42. Patent.

U. S. to Samuel M. Silver, lots 2, 3, 4, 6, 7, sec 15, t 6 n, r 43. Patent.

U. S. to Byard B. Oliver, n $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 35, t 2 n, r 42. Patent.

M. L. Harris to R. F. Stubblefield, lot 4, sec 30, t 1 s, r 45. \$1.

Henry Young to I. S. Hotchkiss, 18 acres in sec 2, t 2 s, r 44. \$2500.

David Pyles to Charles Hansen, 6 acres in ne $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 23, t 3 s, r 46. \$50.

H. F. Tyler to Annie E. Tyler, s $\frac{1}{2}$ lot 7, block 4, and $\frac{1}{2}$ int in lots 4, 5, and 6, block 4, Joseph. \$1.

H. F. Tyler to Annie E. Tyler, und. $\frac{1}{2}$ lots 5, 6 and s $\frac{1}{2}$ lot 4, blk 4, Joseph. \$1.

J. H. Fisher to Willie Fisher, se $\frac{1}{4}$ se $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 6, t 1 n, r 44. \$400.

George Fitzpatrick to William Fitzpatrick, lots 15 and 20 blk 3 Magill & Coles add Lostine and water right. \$150.

Samuel Sproston by O. M. Corkins, his attorney, to Elvira and Mary Wolf, lots 5 and 6 blk "A", Sproston's add Wallowa. \$1.

Thos. Morgan to The Public, strips of land 30 ft wide in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 30, t 2 s, r 46. Public road.

F. H. Brownlee to John W. Bennett, e $\frac{1}{2}$ blk 4, Evergreen add Wallowa. \$1

U. S. to Wm. J. Hammack, ne $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 18, t 2 s, r 44. Certificate.

City of Wallowa to Lydia I. Feagins, cemetery lot, \$5.

C. W. Daggett to H. E. Roskamp, lots 6 and 7, blk 12, McCully's add Joseph. \$4000.

Albert Wurzweller to A. K. Parker, lots 8 and 9 blk 12 McCully's add Joseph. \$550.

Mills Adress to S. W. Miles, s $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 4, n $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 9, t 1 s, r 43. \$1.

F. P. Somers to E. B. Wilson, bond for deed, n $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 23, sw $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 14, sw $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 11, n $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 14, t 2 n, r 50. 480 acres. \$14,400.50.

C. C. Cesse to David Stuart, se $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 25, t 1 n, r 41. \$10.

Edna Sterling to N. M. Sterling, e $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 23, t 3 s, r 45. \$1200.

State of Oregon to C. L. Hartshorn, n $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 4, ne $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 8, sw $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 9, n $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 17, t 1 n, r 47. \$1300.

Mary J. Creighton to W. Al Jones, power of attorney, all lands, etc.

L. L. Moorehouse to Sarah E. Moorehouse, und. $\frac{1}{2}$ int in w $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ and e $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 22, t 1 n, r 43. \$350.

W. W. Holmes to J. M. Cornelson, w $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 4 and sw $\frac{1}{4}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 11, t 1 n, r 44. \$2000.

F. D. McCully et al to H. F. Tyler, s $\frac{1}{2}$ lot 7, blk 4, Joseph. \$25.

J. M. Blakely to H. F. Tyler, tax deed, $\frac{1}{2}$ int in lots 4, 5 and 6, blk 4, Joseph. \$174.

U. S. to Walter Brenholtz, Pre. Pat. sw $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 28, t 4 n, r 41.

Mabel C. Biglow to C. N. Krogstad, s $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 23, t 6 n, r 44. \$1.

Nancy Bunnell to Edna Williams et al, lots 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16, blk 8, Wallowa. \$2100.

State of Oregon to John W. Nedrow, se $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 36, t 4 n, r 43. \$200.

C. M. Jones to Maggie Holmes, e $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 12, t 1 n, r 44, and w $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 11, t 1 n, r 44. \$3500.

United States to Polk Mays, Pre. Pat., se $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 20, t 1 n, r 45.

Ford C. Potter to Minnie Potter, Q. C., 10 acres in sec 15, and 6 acres in sec 15, t 1 n, r 42. \$1.

Grover Johnson to Elvira and Mary Wolfe, lots 3 and 4 and part of lot 2, blk "A" Sproston's add Wallowa. \$1.

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W. T. Blankinship to Sarah J. Blankinship, lots 9 and 10, blk 17, Enterprise. \$50.
T. F. Slegmund to J. L. Slegmund, n $\frac{1}{2}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$ sec 20, t 3 n, r 41. \$1200.

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